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FM AMEMBASSY PORT AU PRINCE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L PORT AU PRINCE 0349

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, ICRC, VN, HA

SUBJECT: LAW OF WAR (LOW) CONFERENCE: "PRG" INVITATION
AND SEATING OF GRUNK

REFS: A. GENEVA 1229; B. P-AU-P 342, C. STATE 36939
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1. I SPOKE TO UNDERSEC GOUSSE ALONG LINE OF REFTEL D URGING
THAT GOH CONSIDER ACCREDITING AMBASSADOR BAGUIDY AT LEAST
TO PRESENT GOH POSITION ON ACCREDITATION ISSUES. GOUSSE
DEMURRED ON GROUNDS THAT THIS MIGHT MEAN FURTHER DELAY
AND GOH WOULD FEEL UNABLE TO DETACH BAGUIDY FROM REGULAR
DUTIES AT BERN TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MONTH LONG
CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS.

2. I POINTED OUT THAT BAGUIDY NEED NOT REMAIN FOR
ENTIRE CONFERENCE BUT THAT HIS PRESENCE FOR PERHAPS
THREE OR FOUR DAYS WHILE THIS ISSUE BEING DEBATED WOULD
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SERVE GOH INTERESTS SINCE BAUIDY WOULD INEVITABLY BE

BETTER ABLE TO EXPLAIN GOH POSITION ON ACCREDITING
AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS THAN WOULD HONORARY CONSUL
ADOR.

3. GOUSSE SEEMED IMPRESSED BY THESE POINTS AND SAID THAT IF
WE COULD INFORM HIM WHEN DEBATE WAS EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE
HE WOULD TRY TO SECURE FONMIN RAYMOND'S AGREEMENT TO
ACCREDITING BAGUIDY FOR A SHORT PERIOD AT LEAST. IN ANY
EVENT HE WILL, AS PROMISED, TODAY CABLE ADOR INSTRUCTIONS
IN SENSE REF B.

4. ACTION REQUESTED:

FOR GENEVA: PLEASE GIVE US LATEST ESTIMATE ON WHEN
ACCREDITATION VOTES LIKELY TO TAKE PLACE.
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